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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Allan GRAINGER Conf. 7168

Application No. 10/730,933 Group 3634

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IMPROVEMENTS RELATING TO A SUPPORT APPARATUS

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 January 5, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of December 8, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

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